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IN RE APPLICATION OF Art Unit: 1626

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

The Office Action of July 17, 2008 has a shortened statutory time set to expire on October 17, 2008. A one-month extension is hereby requested pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a), such that a response to the Office Action is timely if filed by November 17, 2008.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 50-1676 in the name of Syngenta Crop Protection, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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